

Remarks

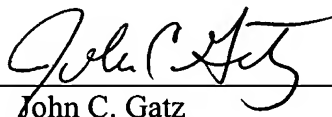
Claims 1 and 64-86 have been cancelled without prejudice by this amendment. The Applicants reserve the right to prosecute these claims in another application. Claims 87 and 92 have been amended. Thus, claims 87-101 remain pending in the present application. No new matter has been added by these amendments. In response to the Office Action, Applicants elect to prosecute Group VI (i.e., FIG. 6) at this time. The Office Action has additionally requested that the Applicants elect between "patentably distinct sub-species of the claimed invention: Group A – figure 2a; and Group B – figure 2b." Applicants elect Group A along with Group VI. Claims 87-101 include such an embodiment.

No fees are believed to be due with respect to this response. However, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct any fees required (except for payment of the issue fee) from Jenkins & Gilchrist, P.C. Deposit Account No. 10-0447, Order No. 47099-00153USC1. Applicants respectfully request that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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